

DESCENDANTS OF THOMAS MCCUMBERS
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Thelma Norman and Don Norman

1.THOMAS MCCUMBERS

Thomas McCumbers was born about 1822 in Ohio. He married Loretta Dillins February 22, 1840 in in Jackson County VA (WV). She was born about 1819.

Thomas married Elizabeth Riffle October 29, 1876 in Clay County WV. She was born about 1845 in Ohio. The 1880 Clay county WV census lists Thomas as a chair maker.

Known children of Thomas and Loretta (Dillins) McCumbers.

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| 2. | (1). | Flora Malissa | b.c. | 1865 | |
| 3. | (2). | Margaret | b.c. | 1868 | d. 1905 |
| 4. | (3). | Martha | b.c. | 1869 | |
| 5. | (4). | Lucy J. | b. | Jan 12 1870 | |
| 6. | (5). | Thomas | b.c. | 1873 | |

Children of Thomas and Elizabeth "Betsie" (Riffle) McCumbers.

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|-----|------|--|------|-------------|----------------|
| 7. | (1). | Henry Franklin "Bub" | b. | Aug 15 1877 | d. Sep 30 1947 |
| 8. | (2). | Laura "Did" | b. | May 1878 | d. Jul 12 1941 |
| | | m. Harvey G. Sampson Sep 12 1894 Calhoun County WV | | | |
| 9. | (3). | Mary Belle | b.c. | 1881 | |
| | | m. Benjamin Franklin Drennen | | | |
| 10. | (4). | Minnie Babe | b.c. | 1886 | d. May 28 1970 |
| | | m. Thomas McCune Oct 15 1902 Clay County Wv | | | |

3.MARGARET MCCUMBERS 1.THOMAS MCCUMBERS

Margaret McCumbers, a daughter of Thomas and Loretta (Dillins) McCumbers, was born in Calhoun Country WV in February 1868 and died there in October 1905. She married David Andrew Sampson January 7, 1887 in Calhoun County. David, a son of Harvey and Anna (Riggs) Sampson, was born January 18, 1866 in Clay County WV and died April 15, 1958 in Calhoun County.

Children David Andrew and Margaret (McCumbers) Sampson.

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| 11. | (1). | Josephine Ellen | b. | Aug 1888 | |
| | | m. Joseph K. Murphy Jan 1 1905, Clay County WV | | | |
| 12. | (2). | Lidia B. | b. | Oct 1888 | d. Jan 1974 |
| | | m. Samuel Tanner Nov 3 1908, Clay County WV | | | |
| 13. | (3). | William Riley | b. | May 1892 | d. Sep 16 1979 |
| | | m. Gracie May Jackson Mar 4 1912 Clay County WV | | | |
| 14. | (4). | James Howard | b. | Oct 1894 | d.c.. 1953 |
| | | m. Cornelia Hamric Truman Nov 6 1913 Clay County WV | | | |
| | | m. Josie Sampson Mar 15 1926, Athens County OH | | | |
| | | m. Fredia Ater Dec 24 1937 Athens County OH | | | |
| | | m. Alice Margaret Barrienger | | | |
| 15. | (5). | Andrew James "Kooch" | b. | Mar 1897 | |
| | | m. Minnie A. West | | | |
| | | m. Lucy Price may 24, 1921 Calhoun County, WV | | | |
| 16. | (6). | Nora Jane | b. | Apr 1899 | d. Jul 27 1980 |
| | | m. Grover Weldon Dickey Dec 29 1915 Clay County WV | | | |
| 17. | (7). | (m) | b. | Feb 8 1901 | d. Feb 8 1901 |

7.HENRY FRANKLIN MCCUMBERS 1.THOMAS MCCUMBERS

Henry Franklin McCumbers, a son of Thomas and Elizabeth "Betsie" (Riffle) McCumbers, was born in Calhoun Country WV August 15, 1877 and died there September 30, 1947. He married Luretta Jane Lyons July 28, 1894 in Clay County WV. Luretta, a daughter of Granville and Mary Lyons, was born in WV in September 1876.

Henry married Lenora Gay "Nora" Drennen July 22, 1897 in Clay County. Lenora, a daughter, of Andrew and Emily (Lane) Drennen, was born April 5, 1878 in Roane County WV and died February 21, 1946 in Morgantown, Monongalia County WV.

Henry married Ida Myrtle "Mirt" (McCumbers) Drennen February 4, 1921 in Nicholas County WV. Myrtle, a daughter of James and Mary (Myers) McCumbers, was born June 3, 1893 in Braxton County WV and died in Calhoun County. She was the widow of Austin Drennen.

Children of Henry Franklin and Lenora Gay (Drennen) McCumbers.

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| 18. | (1). | Henry | b. | Nov 1 1900 | d. Nov 10 1900 |
| 19. | (2). | Lilly Florence | b. | Feb 6 190 | d. Sep 21 1995 |

m. Charles Newton McCumbers Aug 1 1921 Braxton
m. Ray Taft Cottrill Oct 31 1942 Gilmer County, WV
m. Everett Meadows Dec 4 1955, Gilmer County, WV

20. (3). Thomas Andrew b. Mar 24 1905 d. Jan 3 1992
m. Edna Erna Hardway Feb 9 1924, Calhoun County, WV
m. Chessie Mae Allen

21. (4). Christopher Columbus b. Nov 8 1909 d. Mar 22 1985
m. Florence Malinda Ball Apr 15 1933, Gilmer County, WV

Known children of Austin and Ida Myrtle (McCumbers) Drennen.
(Step children Henry Franklin McCumbers.)

22. (1). Bertha b.c. 1913

23. (2). Everett b.c. 1916

Known children of Henry Franklin and Ida Myrtle (McCumbers) [Drennen] McCumbers.

24. (1). Lester Virgil b. Aug 15 1921
m. Mylinda Swaneta McCumbers Dec 17 1937

25. (2). Orpha Jane b. Mar 11 1927 d. Feb 20 1999
m. Bernard hall Feb 16 1945 Calhoun County WV
m. Leslie Yeager

26. (3). Dovie June b. Aug 21 1929 d. Oct 10 2005
m. ROY HALL, 14 Dec 1946, Calhoun County, WV

27. (4). Harold Junior b. May 17 1932 d. Aug 20 2012
m. Essie Hall Feb 18 1952 Calhoun County

9.MARY BELLE MCCUMBERS 1.THOMAS MCCUMBERS

Mary Belle McCumbers, a daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth "Betsie" (Riffle) McCumbers, was born about 1881. She married Benjamin Franlin Drennen. Benjamin, a son of Andrew and Emily (Lane) Drennen, was born about 1880.
The family was living in Braxton County WV in 1910 and in Pocahontas County WV in 1920.

Known children of Benjamin Franklin and Mary Belle (McCumbers) Drennen.

28. (1). James L. b.c. 1902

29. (2). Lula b. Jul 24 1905

30. (3). Bessie b.c. 1910

31. (4). Jessie Ellen b.c. 1913
m. William Davis

10.MINNIE BABE MCCUMBERS 1.THOMAS MCCUMBERS

Minnie Babe McCumbers, a daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth "Betsie" (Riffle) McCumbers, was born in Calhoun County WV about 1886 and died there May 28, 1970. She married Thomas McCune October 15, 1902 in Clay County WV Thomas, a son of James and Julia Ann (Burnside) McCune, was born in Calhoun County WV about 1878.

Children of Thomas and Minnie Babe (McCumbers) McCune.

32. (1). Roxie Lena b.c. 1903
m. Nathan Delbert Dickey Sep 3 1924, Calhoun County WV

33. (2). Albert Joseph b. May 1905
m. Viola Parsons
m. Louella Wilson Oct 16 1943, Gilmer County WV

34. (3). Raymond b. Jun 2 1907 d. Jun 7 1999
m. Bertha Jane Wilson Sep 18 1943, Gilmer County WV

35. (4). Holly b.c. 1913

36. (5). Bertha b.c. 1915
m. Worth Cottrell Jun 25 1931 Calhoun County WV

37. (6). Lakie b.c. 1918
m. Doy W. Bailey Jun 10 1940, Calhoun County WV
m. -----Wilson

38. (7). Stella b.c. 1922

39. (8). Jessie b. Dec 29 1923 d. Jun 24 1997
m. Don Helmick Apr 25 1947, Calhoun County WV

40. (9). Dena Maxine b.c. 1927
m. Harlan Stump May 17 1946, Calhoun County, WV

20.THOMAS ANDREW MCCUMBERS 7.HENRY FRANKLIN MCCUMBERS 1.THOMAS MCCUMBERS

Thomas Andrew McCumbers, a son of Henry Franklin and Lenora Gay (Drennen) McCumbers, was born March 24, 1905 and died January 3, 1992. He married Edna Erna Hardway February 9, 1924 in Calhoun County WV. Edna, a daughter of James Annis and Rebecca F. (Vaughan) Hardway, was born about 1906.

Children of Thomas Andrew and Edna Erna (Hardway) McCumbers.

- 41. (1). Preston Virgil b. Apr 24 1925 d. Apr 5 2007
 m. Ruth McElfresh
 m. Carol Barton
 m. Hazel Crites
- 41. (2). Rondle
- 43. (3). Thelma Gay
 m. David Low
- 44. (4). Vera Maye d. May 21 1978
 m. Harry Haymon Cottrill Aug 4 1956.
- 45. (5). Edith
- 46. (6). Velma Faye b. Jun 10 1933
 m. Walter Joseph Norman Aug 30 1949 Calhoun County WV

24.LESTER VIRGIL MCCUMBERS 7.HENRY FRANKLIN MCCUMBERS 1.THOMAS MCCUMBERS

Lester Virgil McCumbers, a son of Henry Franklin and Ida Myrtle (McCumbers) Drennen] McCumbers, was born August 15, 1921. He married Malinda "Linda" Swaneta McCumbers December 17, 1937. Linda, a daughter of Gallia and Ada (Cottrell) McCumbers, was born in Calhoun County WV in 1921 and died there April 3, 2010.

Children of Lester Virgil and Linda Swaneta (McCumbers) McCumbers.

- 47. (1). Beatrice
 m. ----- Putnam
- 48. (2). Anna Lee
 m. ----- White
- 49. (3). Paulette
 m. ---- Ice
- 50. (4). Joan
 m. ----- Cottrell
- 51. (5). Sharon
 m. ----- Morris
- 52. (6). Billy
- 53. (7). Timmy
- 54. (8). Roger

41.PRESTON VIRGIL MCCUMBERS 20.THOMAS ANDREW MCCUMBERS 7.HENRY FRANKLIN MCCUMBERS 1.THOMAS MCCUMBERS

Preston Virgil McCumbers, a son of Thomas Andrew and Edna Erna (Hardway) McCumbers, was born in Calhoun County WV April 24, 1925 and died in Burnsville, WV April 5, 2007. He married Ruth McElfresh, who preceded him in death Janaury 16, 1981. His second wife was Carol Barton, who died December 24, 2000. His third wife, Hazel (Crites) McCumbers, a daughter of the late Ted and Millie Gay Clifton McCumbers, was born in Webster County, WV in 1941 and died March 28, 2009 at Johnson City Medical center, Johnson City, TN.

Children of Preston Virgil and Ruth (McElfresh) McCumbers.

- 55. (1). Ronnie Lee d. Oct 4 1952
- 56. (2). Preston Virgil Jr. d. Dec 12 1965
- 57. (3). Thomas
- 58. (4). Charles
 m. Penny ----
- 59. (5). James
 m. Valery -----
- 60. (6). Michael
- 61. (7). Robert
- 62. (8). Mark
- 63. (9). Barbara
 m. Johnnie Green
- 64. (10). Ruth
 m. Willard Cottrill

65. (11). Connie
66. (12). Brenda
 m. Thomas Smith
67. (13). Tami
 m. James Bell
68. (14). Geraldine
 m. Jason Sessman
69. (15). Regina

Children of ----- aand Hazel (McCumbers) Crites.
Step children of Preston Virgil McCumbers.

70. (1). Tammie Sue
 m. ----- Green
71. (2). Betty Jean
 m. Larry Crites
72. (3). Melissa
73. (4). Dreama McCumbers
 m. ---- McCumbers

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